

January 16, 2014

Department of Public Health
Attn: Environmental Permitting and Inspections
333 S. State Street, Room 200
Chicago, IL 60604

RE: Notice of Proposed Regulations – For Handling and Storage of Bulk Material Piles

Dear Sir or Madam:

Calumet River Terminal respectfully submits this letter to request an extension of time in which to comment on the above referenced proposed Rules and Regulations. Calumet River Terminal is a fully permitted warehouse facility located at 10740 South Burley Avenue, Chicago Illinois. This warehouse does not handle coal or petroleum coke.

If these regulations are implemented as drafted, the financial burden to Calumet River Terminal would force us to close our doors. The City of Chicago would lose another viable business and the 10th ward would have another vacant piece of property not contributing to the cities tax base.

The regulations proposed stem from a wind event that occurred in August of 2013 involving Petroleum Coke. The collateral damage to other local business not involved in the incident would be devastating.

Respectfully submitted,

Calumet River Terminal

Frank McNicholas
Terminal Manager

Cc: Alderman / John Pope
CAIC / David Holmberg